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U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

**Dec 16, 2016**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

SEAN F. MCAVOY, CLERK

ROBERT L. BROWN,

Plaintiff,

v.

CITY OF SOAP LAKE,  
WASHINGTON,

Defendant.

No. 2:16-CV-0265-SMJ

**ORDER APPROVING  
STIPULATED CONSENT DECREE**

Before the Court, without oral argument, is Plaintiff Robert L. Brown's Motion to Approve Stipulated Consent Decree, ECF No. 16. Having reviewed the Stipulated Consent Decree, ECF No. 15, and the pleadings and file in this matter, the Court finds that the Consent Decree is fair, reasonable, and equitable and does not violate the law or public policy. Accordingly, pursuant to Rule 54, the Court grants Plaintiff's motion to approve the parties' Stipulated Consent Decree.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

- 1.** Plaintiff's Motion to Approve Stipulated Consent Decree, **ECF No. 16**, is **GRANTED**.
- 2.** The parties' Stipulated Consent Decree, **ECF No. 15**, is **APPROVED** as the final judgment of this Court.


1       **3.**     The Court retains jurisdiction of this matter for purposes of enforcing  
2           the Stipulated Consent Decree.

3       **4.**     All hearings and other deadlines are **STRICKEN**.

4       **5.**     The Clerk's Office is directed to **CLOSE** this file.

5       **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk's Office is directed to enter this Order and  
6 provide copies to all counsel.

7       **DATED** this 16th day of December 2016.

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                              SALVADOR MENDOZA, JR.  
                              United States District Judge